

Appl. No. 10/615,442
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Reply to Office action of April 1, 2004



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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Appl. No. : 10/615,442
Applicant : Masanori Konishi
Filed : July 8, 2003
Title : INFRARED LAMP, HEATING APPARATUS, AND METHOD FOR
MANUFACTURING INFRARED LAMP

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TC/A.U. : 3742
Examiner : John A. Jeffery

Customer No. : 000,116
Docket No. : 33476US1

Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

AMENDMENT "B"

Sir:

This amendment is filed in response to the Office action dated April 1, 2004 (Part of Paper No./Mail Date 20040330). The three month period for responding to the Office action expires on July 1, 2004. Enclosed is \$90.00 for the addition of 5 claims in excess of 20. Also enclosed is the required fee of \$110.00 for the enclosed Terminal Disclaimer (under §1.20(d)).

Please amend the above-identified application in the following manner.

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 27 of this paper.

Amendments to the Drawings begin on page 38 of this paper and include both an attached replacement sheet and an annotated sheet showing changes.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 39 of this paper.

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail in an envelope addressed to: Mail Stop Amendment, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 on the date indicated below.

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